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For: **PORTABLE TELEPHONE CAPABLE OF
INCREASING FACILITY OF OPERATION**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the
Office Action mailed on March 14, 2001.

In the Claims

Please amend claim 1 so as to read as follows.

- A/CNT
- 1 1. (Amended) A portable telephone which transmits data having at least
 - 2 one of a voice signal and an image datum which are radio signals to a
 - 3 communicating device through a base station and which receives said data
 - 4 from said communicating device through said base station, said portable
 - 5 telephone comprising:
 - 6 amplifying means for amplifying said voice signal to produce an